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In re Application of :  
Karpinsky et al. :  
Serial No.: 10/025,460 : Group Art Unit: 2874  
Confirm. No.: 4198 : Examiner: Omar Rojas  
Filed: December 26, 2001 :  
For: FIBER OPTIC SWITCH PROCESS AND OPTICAL DESIGN

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December 22, 2003

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In response to the Office Action of July 21, 2003, the following Remarks and Arguments are submitted.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.

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